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The Secretary-General presents his compliments to the President of the Security Council and, in accordance with paragraph 8 of Security Council resolution 816 (1993), has the honour to bring to his attention further information received by the United Nations Protection Force (UNPROFOR) regarding apparent violations of the ban on flights in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Between 24 and 26 January 1995, there appear to have been 25 flights of fixed-wing or rotary-wing aircraft in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina other than those exempted in accordance with paragraph 1 of resolution 816 (1993) or approved by UNPROFOR in accordance with paragraph 2 of that resolution. Details as to the itinerary of flights in this reporting period are annexed to the present note verbale.

The total number of flights assessed as apparent violations is now 3,497.

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Annex

Information on flights in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina not authorized by the United Nations Protection Force

(24-26 January 1995)

Serial No.	Date	Start	End	Remarks	Heading, altitude, speed
3473	24 Jan.	0720	0819	UNPROFOR personnel detected a track (suspected to be a helicopter) 7 kilometres east of Tuzla, which crossed the border 5 kilometres south-east of Bijeljina and faded 8 kilometres west of Sabac, on the Serbian side. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	North-east Unknown Slow
3474	25 Jan.	0800	1045	UNPROFOR personnel observed a Gazelle helicopter taking off and flying around Zaluzani airfield 5 kilometres north of Banja Luka. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	Various Various Slow
3475	25 Jan.	0855	0857	UNPROFOR personnel observed a white and blue Mi-17/Hip helicopter with a red cross taking off from Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	West Low Slow
3476	25 Jan.	0918	0925	UNPROFOR personnel observed a Gazelle helicopter flying 20 kilometres north-north-east of Prijedor. The helicopter was again sighted 24 kilometres north-west of Prijedor. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	West Low Slow
3477	25 Jan.	0940	0942	UNPROFOR personnel observed an Mi-17/Hip helicopter taking off from Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	West Low Slow
3478	25 Jan.	1010	1012	UNPROFOR personnel observed a light helicopter flying 24 kilometres north-east of Prijedor. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	East Low Slow
3479	25 Jan.	1049	1051	UNPROFOR personnel observed a white and blue Mi-17/Hip helicopter with a red cross taking off from Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South-east Low Slow
3480	25 Jan.	1059	1101	UNPROFOR personnel observed a white and blue Mi-17/Hip helicopter with a red cross taking off from Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	East Low Slow
3481	25 Jan.	1103	1117	AWACs made radar contact and North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) fighter aircraft made intermittent radar contact but no visual contact with a track 45 kilometres south of Gorni Vakuf. The unauthorized flight of this helicopter took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Croats.	North-east Low Slow

Serial No.	Date	Start	End	Remarks	Heading, altitude, speed
3482	25 Jan.	1130	1132	UNPROFOR personnel observed a camouflaged Hip helicopter with a red cross flying immediately west of Maglaj. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	North-west Low Slow
3483	25 Jan.	1325	1326	UNPROFOR personnel observed a white and blue Mi-17/Hip helicopter with a red cross landing at Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	North Landing Landing
3484	25 Jan.	1346	1348	UNPROFOR personnel observed a white and blue Mi-17/Hip helicopter with a red cross landing at Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	North Low Slow
3485	25 Jan.	1422	1424	UNPROFOR personnel observed a camouflaged Mi-8/Hip helicopter with a red cross flying immediately south-east of Maglaj. The unauthorized flight took place in an area of questionable control.	South-west Low Slow
3486	25 Jan.	1440	1442	UNPROFOR personnel observed a camouflaged Mi-8/Hip helicopter with a red cross flying 12 kilometres south of Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Croats.	North-west Low Slow
3487	25 Jan.	1605	1607	UNPROFOR personnel observed an Mi-17/Hip helicopter landing at Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	West Low Slow
3488	25 Jan.	2328	2330	UNPROFOR personnel observed a light and heard a helicopter flying 10 kilometres north of Tuzla. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South-east High Slow
3489	25 Jan.	2352	0005	UNPROFOR personnel observed an unidentified helicopter taking off and then subsequently landing at Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	East then west Low Slow
3490	26 Jan.	0005	0007	UNPROFOR personnel observed an Mi-17/Hip helicopter landing at Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South-east Low Slow
3491	26 Jan.	0044	0046	UNPROFOR personnel observed an unidentified helicopter taking off from Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South-east Low Slow
3492	26 Jan.	0800	1200	UNPROFOR personnel observed a Gazelle helicopter taking off and subsequently landing at Zaluzani. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	Various Low Slow

Serial No.	Date	Start	End	Remarks	Heading, altitude, speed
3493 and 3494	26 Jan.	0930	0932	UNPROFOR personnel observed 2 Gazelle helicopters landing at Zaluzani. The unauthorized flights took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	Unknown Low Slow
3495	26 Jan.	0932	0934	UNPROFOR personnel observed a track (suspected to be a helicopter) crossing the border from Bosnia into the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Serbia and Montenegro), 3 kilometres north-east of Zvornik. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Serbs.	South-east Low Slow
3496	26 Jan.	1144	1200	AWACs and NATO fighter aircraft made radar contact with a track (suspected to be a helicopter) 25 kilometres north-west of Posusje. The track faded 10 kilometres south before a visual sighting was obtained. The unauthorized flight of this helicopter took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Croats.	Various Low Slow
3497	26 Jan.	1515	1517	UNPROFOR personnel observed an Mi-17/Hip helicopter taking off from Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	East Low Slow